

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 09/505,735 Confirmation No. 6053  
Applicant : Alessandro Muti, et al.  
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Title : System & Method for Transferring Data Over a Network  
Group Art Unit : 2143  
Examiner : Joseph Avellino  
Docket No. : MFCP.68276  
Customer No. : 45809

**Via EFS-Web Submission**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE**

In response to the Office Action mailed December 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.